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In re Application of Andrea D. BRANCH <i>et al.</i>			
Application Number 09/719277-Conf. #7039		Filed April 13, 2001	
For NOVEL HEPATITIS C VIRUS PEPTIDES AND USES THEREOF			
Art Unit 1648		Examiner T. Brown	

Applicant hereby **appeals** to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the last decision of the examiner.

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I am the

☐ applicant /inventor.

☐ assignee of record of the entire interest.
See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96)

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